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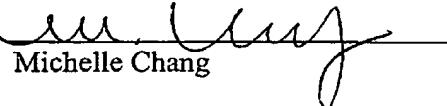
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTIONAssistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
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Sir:

The Office Action mailed December 30, 2002, has been carefully considered. In response thereto, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

In The Specification

Please amend the paragraph on page 11, beginning at line 20, by substituting with the following clean text.

--As described above, as the retainer plate motor 51 rotates, the rod 52 is then rotated clockwise with respect to Fig. 6. Accordingly, the sliding plate 43 is moved right with respect to Fig. 6, while the sliding plate 44 is moved left, causing the retainer plates 41, 42 are to be moved apart. In contrast, if the retainer plate motor 51 rotates reversely, the rod 52 is then rotated counterclockwise with respect to Fig. 6. The sliding plate 43 is moved left with respect to Fig. 6,